

"CURRIE" Perfin Numerous Bulletins-latest- 274/14; 275/5.

From STEPHEN STEERE:- "An extra snippet on the Currie Perfin. I have just picked up a cover dated SP-7-1887, cancel Scottish Duplex 166, Grangetown, die C7980.03. The address on the back is REVACK LODGE. It's again addressed to Captain Wisely in London".

IAN BURNS has sent the following article which he found in the DUNDEE COURIER for 16th February 1995.

CURRIE LINE WEIGHS ANCHOR

Currie Line, one of Scotland's oldest and largest shipping, warehousing and haulage companies, has been acquired in a management buy-out from parent Anchor Line.

Currie Line was incorporated in the 1790's as the Hull and Leith Shipping Company and changed to its present name in 1940. Anchor Line acquired the company in 1968 and was in turn acquired by the Swedish company AVENA in 1990.

The opportunity for the buy-out follows Anchor Line's decision to concentrate on its core gas tanker business. Currie Line's operations account for 10% of all Scottish manufacturing exports."

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